

## APPENDIX A

### QUALIFICATIONS OF CHARLES J. RONCAIOLI

Charles Roncaioli graduated from Trinity College with BS and BSME degrees. He received an MA degree in Economics, with concentration in corporate finance in 1981 from the same institution. In addition, he has taught undergraduate courses in microeconomics and macroeconomics for Post College in Waterbury, Connecticut.

In 1965, he joined the Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Bettis Atomic Power Laboratory, as an engineer responsible for designing fuel and core instrumentation systems for U.S. Navy nuclear ships. During his four years in this position, he attended the 25-week Westinghouse Reactor Engineering School and took Graduate courses in mathematics at the University of Pittsburgh.

In 1969, he joined Northeast Utilities Service Company as an engineer in the Generation Engineering Department, where his duties ranged from overall coordination of nuclear plant licensing to nuclear plant project supervision.

In 1976, he became Supervisor of Load Forecasting, with the responsibility of producing required data, assumptions and models necessary to upgrade the NU companies' load forecasting capability. In 1979, he was promoted to the position of Manager of Economic and Load Forecasting, with the responsibility of establishing the federal and state economic scenarios and consistent load forecasts for all of the NU system operating companies. These forecasts provided the basis for the planning process at the NU system.

In March 1983, he became Manager of Rate Analysis which later became Pricing Strategy and Administration, with the responsibility for the rate activities of each of the operating companies of NU, including Connecticut Light and Power Company (CL&P), Holyoke Water Power Company (HWP), Holyoke Power and Electric Company (HP&E), and Western Massachusetts Electric Company (WMECO). Specifically, his responsibilities cover design and administration of the system=s electric service rates and contracts, including those under the jurisdiction of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities and the Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control.

Mr. Roncaioli has testified before the Connecticut DPUC and Massachusetts DPU. In addition, he has submitted written testimony to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in wholesale rate filings. He has testified before the Massachusetts Energy Facilities Siting Council and the Connecticut Siting Council.